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## Call Me Early, Mother, for The Queen of Circuses Is Near



Well, youngsters, it's almost here. Sometime between midnight and dawn Sunday morning the big new circus bearing the strange yet familiar title of "Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined" is coming to town. The advance guard of the show starts that all in readiness for the invasion, while the juveniles have, in many instances, already set their alarm clocks for an unearthly hour. At the railroad yards switching crews are busy clearing tracks for the many show trains that must be taken care of when they arrive from Little Rock. Two performances will be given Monday.

Railway officials state that the circus is far and away the largest that has ever been transported over their lines. The trains will be met by the show agents who are in the city today making final arrangements for the coming of the "white tops." One of these is the "24-hour man." He will arouse the various superintendents and their men. Then will begin the tremendous task of moving the contents of the trains to the circus grounds. It is said that those who rise in time to watch this operation will witness the unloading of the greatest amount of paraphernalia and the largest number of wagons, horses and animals that have ever visited this city. In consolidating the two famous shows the Ringling Brothers have selected the finest and blaziest features of both. The elephants, number practically the trained pachyderms in the circus world. A gigantic "super-herd" of these is used on the aerial program. There are a total of eight giraffes. Herd rather than mere "families" of animals are now introduced in the menageries.

The most beautiful ring horses and the heaviest and finest of the draught stock of the two circuses have been merged. The Percherons and Normans promise to be much in evidence in the street parade scheduled to depart prior to the show grounds at 10 o'clock Monday morning. This procession, like all else connected with the new circus, is of greater length and brilliancy than any presented in former years. In addition to the scores of open cages, the bands, the callioles and frequent tableau displays—without which a circus parade wouldn't be a parade at all—are many distinct novelties entirely new to the sidewalk crowds. "Bigness" is the keynote of the parade and it is said that the elephant division is alone one of the most remarkable spectacles ever presented.

At the show grounds will be erected the biggest main tent ever built. The increased size has been made necessary because of the additional number of performers and the maintenance of the acts exhibited. One of the latter introduces five times as many elephants as have ever before been presented at one time. The menagerie tent is said to be almost as large as the "big top" of former seasons. This will be open to the public at 1 and 7 p.m. Monday. The main tent program will begin at 8 and 9 o'clock. A gorgeous pageant will precede the aerial displays. This entails hundreds of characters and horses. There are many handsome vehicles. The pageant introduces many of the best-loved stories from fable and nursery rhyme so dear to the hearts of the children. Following will come a host of aerial features. The program of the big combined circus is made up of the best, finest and most sensational acts from the two famous shows supplemented by many foreign importations. Virtually every aerial number of the hundreds presented is a stellar attraction in itself. The riding acts include the famous "Reddy" rider from Australia, 2:58 May Wirth, and the entire Wirth family.

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## HELENA LEGION POST TO BEGIN MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

HELENA, Ark., Oct. 15. (Sp.)—A membership campaign will be launched next Monday by the Helena L. Legion. The post of the American Legion. It is estimated about 6,000 Phillips county boys served in the world war, and it is the purpose of the local post to enroll as nearly as possible all these men.

## Y. & M. V. ROAD IS TO RUN FAIR SPECIAL

YAZOO CITY, Miss., Oct. 15. (Sp.)—The Yazoo & Mississippi Valley railroad has announced a special train leaving Yazoo City at 9:11 a.m. and leaving Jackson at 7 p.m., returning and making all intermediate stops each way on Thursday and Friday of the coming week. The State fair at Jackson, Miss., is the reason.

## REDFIELD RAPS DELAY IN PEACE

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—While America "waits and waits" some more, opportunity to fulfill her duty to the small states created by the war waits the formal re-establishment of peace. Secretary Redfield, of the department of commerce, declared here last night, speaking before the American Manufacturers' Export Association. Until peace comes, he said, organization of the various agencies necessary to finance the commercial regeneration of the world cannot begin.

"From the elevation of the spirit of war times the secretary said, 'we have reacted into an apparent orgy of class selfishness varied by mob violence.' It must seem to the onlooker, he added, that America had made up her mind to say to Europe, 'good-bye and the devil take the hindmost.'"

The secretary pointed to the miracle of reconstruction being wrought in France and said it was wise to remember that Great Britain also was finding herself and already was in the field with government credits for her foreign trade. "The world owes the U. S. fifteen billions, he said.

"They can't pay now and they can't even wait unless we help them," he said of the smaller nations. "We have over here what all the nations lack. We have the ability to sell, they have the need to buy; we have the means of paying ourselves for the goods, they have not the means of paying us."

"Every business man knows that we cannot undertake this task until we have peace. This is not partisanship or politics; it is just sense."

In approaching the task of financing and supplying the weaker nations Secretary Redfield said, "a credit providing organization beyond anything we have ever known" must be erected, embracing all American commercial life. Such a company with a capitalization of \$500,000,000 or a billion, he explained, could be developed by country-wide appeal to the "investing power of America" and could take foreign securities, distribute them so as to average the risk, and against them issue its own debentures at commercial interest rates and in such denominations that all might purchase.

## CONTROL FIELD CHIEF KILLED IN ACCIDENT

ST. PAUL, Neb., Oct. 15.—Lieut. Cameron Wright, in charge of the landfield here for the transcontinental air racers, was instantly killed yesterday when an airplane in which he was riding as a passenger went into a tail spin and dropped 200 feet.

## TENNESSEAN WOUNDED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15. (Sp.)—The name of one Tennessee is included in the casualty list issued by the war department today. He is Jesse Wilson, of Bethel Springs, listed under the heading wounded, degree undetermined. The list now being issued are the result of rechecking the casualty records.

## AUSTRIAN CABINET QUILTS BUT IS RECONSTITUTED

VIENNA, Oct. 15. (By the Associated Press).—The Austrian cabinet headed by Dr. Karl Renner resigned tonight but was reconstituted immediately under Dr. Renner as premier with few important changes.

## 255 RESCUED AT SEA BROUGHT IN

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Bringing 255 passengers and crew of the French steamer Yvonia, which burned at sea last Monday off the Newfoundland fishing banks, the steamer Chicago arrived here this morning. It took the Chicago's crew one hour and ten minutes after she reached the scene to rescue the Yvonia's passengers from their 13 lifeboats.

The Chicago first heard the Yvonia's wireless call for help when 80 miles away.

The 100 bags of mail on the Yvonia were brought here on the Chicago. The Yvonia's passenger list included 27 cabin, mostly French, and 153 steerage, mostly Syrians, homeward bound. The Yvonia was bound from Havana to St. Nazaire when she met with disaster.

The fire started in the Yvonia's fore hold, where the cargo consisted of rum and sugar. She was ablaze all over when abandoned.

## URGES USE OF GLANDS FROM BODIES OF DEAD

PARIS, Oct. 15.—Dr. Serge Voronoff, who claims he can postpone old age by grafting interstitial glands, points out in an article in the Journal today that the thyroid and supra-renal glands, which are the source of the death of the body and therefore of the body of young and healthy persons killed in accidents, should be grafted to special hospitals, and put in cold storage where they can be kept indefinitely.

"Unfortunately," writes Dr. Voronoff, "predilections and law now prevent this. Our secular customs require that our perished bodies be consigned to the earth, where they slowly and uselessly are consumed."

## INVENTS DIRIGIBLE

ROME, Oct. 15. (By the Associated Press).—Cristoforo Lupatelli, one of the pioneers of aviation in Italy, claims to have invented a new dirigible 280 yards long and 80 yards wide and provided with six motors of 500 horsepower each, with which he intends to fly from Rome to South America, stopping at Dakar, West Africa.

## SEVERAL DIE IN RIOT

LAREDO, Tex., Oct. 15.—Several persons have been killed and a number injured in disturbances in Laredo, Tex., as a result of the decree ordering the liquidation of the homestead (small homestead) commission, according to information received here today from Mexico City.

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## EPISCOPALIANS STILL ON PRAYER BOOK REVISION

DETROIT, Oct. 15.—Election of missionary bishops and continuation of prayer book revision were the order today in the triennial general convention of the Protestant Episcopal church. In the house of deputies this morning opposition was again shown, almost point by point, on amendments to the prayer book, and it was expected that the revision would go into next week and might not, perhaps, be completed during this convention.

Following prayer book revision the report of the commission on the church pension fund will be received and action on the canons on keeping religious institutions, amendment of which is proposed, will be taken.

## BERLIN STRIKE ENDED

BERLIN, Oct. 15.—The strike of metal workers in this city has been settled, according to announcement. Gustav Noske, minister of defense, speaking in the national assembly, declared those responsible for the strike would be punished for "disturbing the vital functions of public life."

## GETS CENSUS POST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Daniel A. Baker, of Troy, has been appointed supervisor of census for the Second Alabama district, to fill the vacancy caused by the illness of Robert F. Powell.

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## WOODEN SHIP SINKING AT SEA IS ABANDONED

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—The Merchant and Miners' wooden steamer Agamemnon, which has been in distress at sea for the last week, has been abandoned in a sinking condition. The crew of 28 men was saved and the command cutter Acushnet and the steam tug Aqueduct are bringing them to the port. The vessel was bound from Baltimore to Rotterdam.

## PRESTON GIBSON ELOPES WITH DIVORCEE

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Preston Gibson, playwright, and Mrs. Beatrice Rogers Benjamin Pratt, divorced wife of Alexander Dallas Baché Pratt and granddaughter of the late Henry H. Rogers, eloped in a taxicab yesterday and were married at Greenwich. The elopement was said to have resulted from objections to the marriage on the part of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Evers Benjamin.

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